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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed September 22, 2006, in connection with the above-captioned patent application. The response is due by December 22, 2006; this response is, therefore, timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the **Listing of claims** that begins on page 2 of this paper.

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